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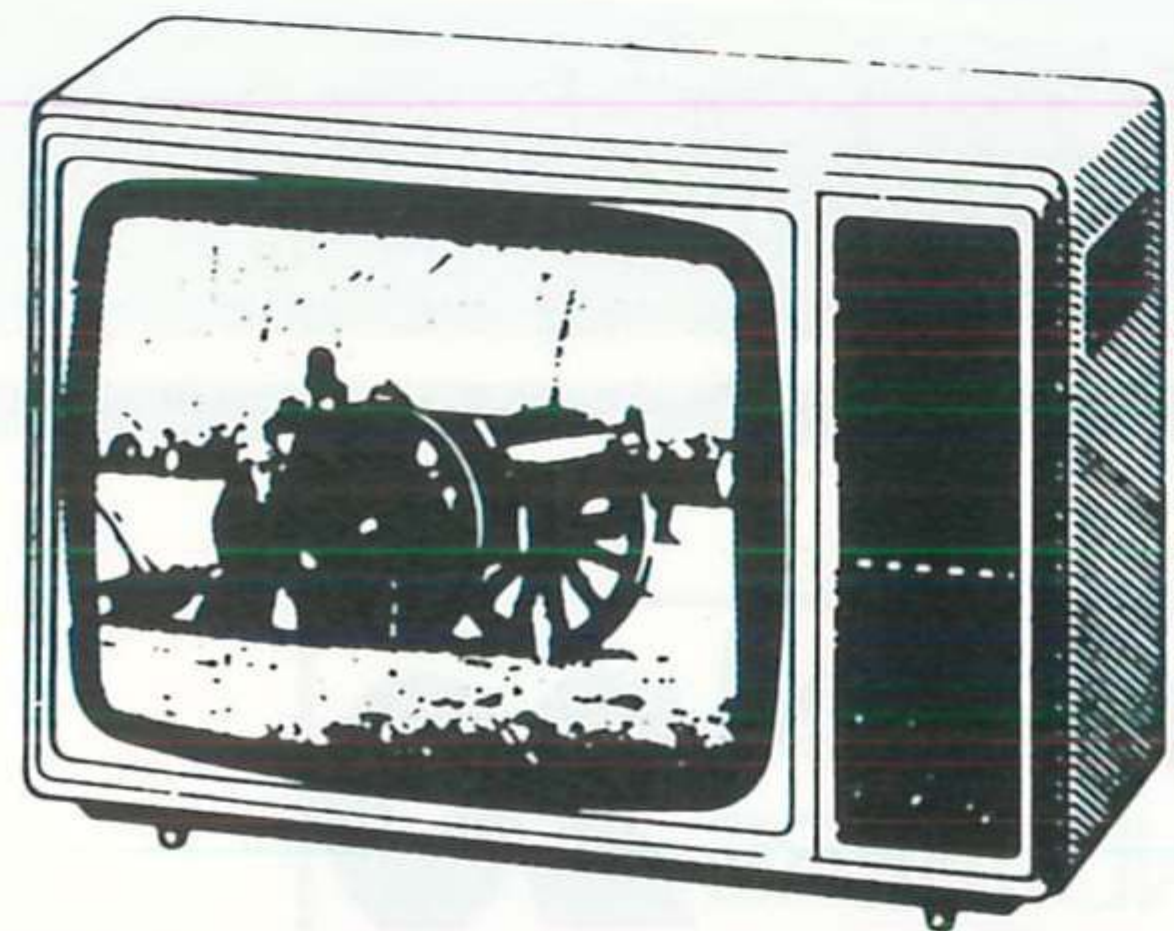
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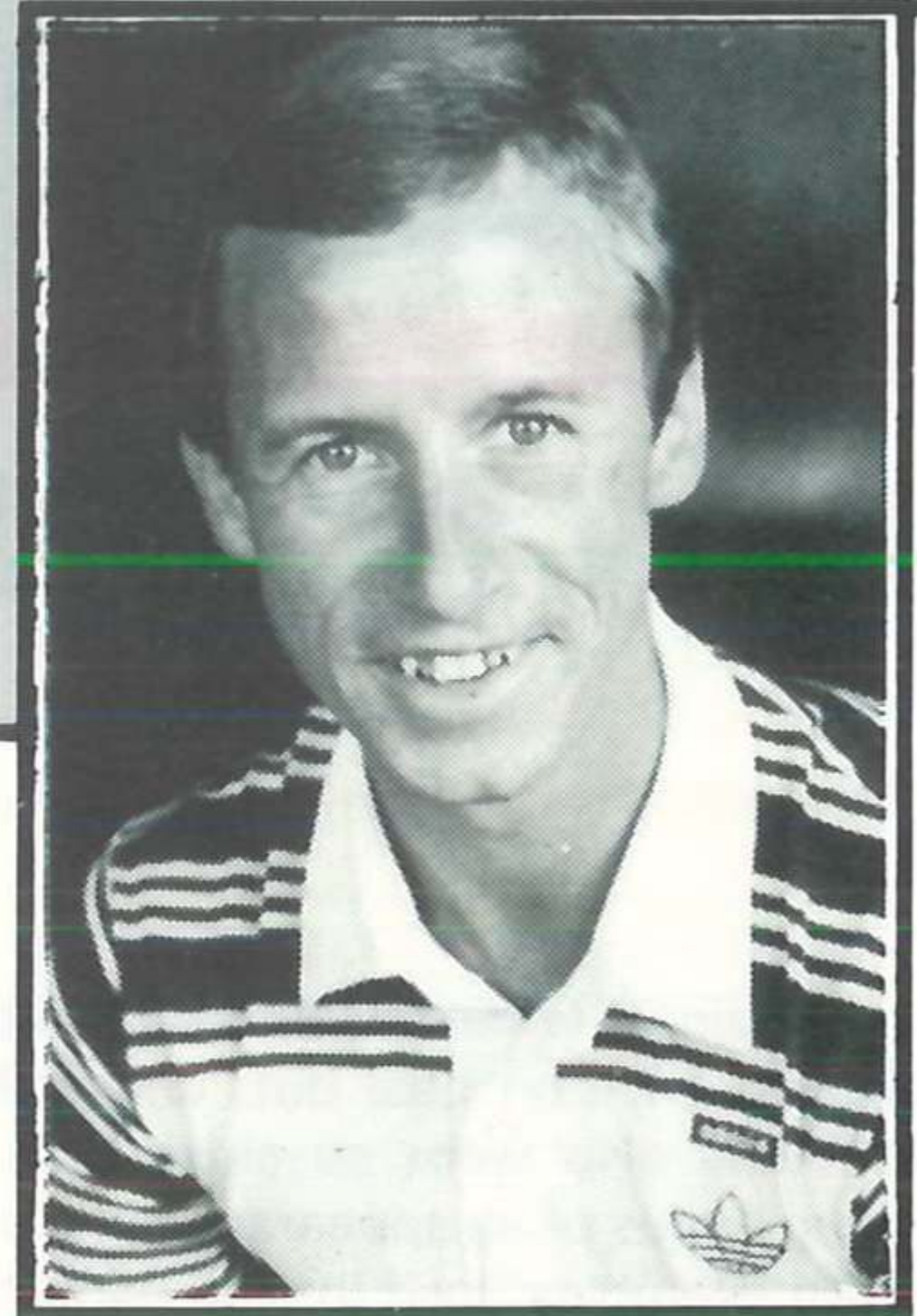
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JOHN MCGOVERN



IT DOES not need me or anyone else to stress the importance of today's game. Four defeats in a row have left us right back in the relegation zone and with games running out we are badly in need of three points.

Achieving that today, though, will not be an easy task with our visitors, Sheffield Wednesday, having proved already this season what an accomplished side they are. Next week Jack Charlton's men will be carrying the Second Division flag into the Semi-finals of the FA Cup when they take on Brighton at Highbury.

We wish them well in their bid to reach Wembley.

Today, though, their minds will be on League matters and I am sure they will be out to give us as tough a job as possible as we go for a much-needed win.

One thing is for sure, if our two sides produce as good a game as the reverse fixture at Hillsborough back in September, then the fans will be pleased. Our trip across the Pennines that night proved a fruitless one in terms of League points — we lost 3-1 — but few who saw the game could complain about the lack of entertainment.

Things have changed greatly for both clubs since then. Wednesday looked to be well on the way to securing a high League placing and at this stage of the season they must have been hoping to be pushing for promotion. That looks out of their grasp now — but they still have the prize of a place at Wembley to go for.

Things have changed for us too. We struggled for points for quite a spell then put together that very good run which hoisted us off the bottom of the table and saw us heading for a position of safety.

But our recent results have pegged us back a bit and we still face a tough battle.

As you will probably know, I was taken ill during the week and missed the game at Carlisle — a result which was a big disappointment to us all. I am sure the players will be determined to make up for it today.

Going off the effort they put in last Saturday, despite losing 2-1 to Leeds, I remain optimistic about our chances. I didn't think we deserved to lose that game but it all came down to the breaks not going our way in or opponents' penalty area.

But I could not fault the effort of the players. However I must stress, the application must be kept at that level.

We have struggled recently to overcome injuries and illness among the players. But I can assure the fans that from a playing point of view everyone here at Burnden Park is determined to get things right. Starting today with three points.

European Youth Championship 1983 West Germany v Sweden

The above game will be staged at Burnden Park on Sunday, 15th May 1983, kick off 3.00 p.m.

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NOW WEDNESDAY SEEK CUP GLORY

From: Tony Pullein

Once again Sheffield Wednesday seem to have missed their First Division goal but, unlike the past two seasons when they also went so close, this year they have the exciting bonus of an appearance in the F.A. Cup semi-finals — with Wembley itself just 90 minutes away!

Next Saturday manager Jack Charlton will be taking his team down to Highbury to meet Brighton in the semi-final. Brighton are struggling to hold onto their First Division status but they have knocked Liverpool out of the Cup so they will be no easy side to beat.

But, whereas Brighton are appearing in a semi-final for the first time, Wednesday will be playing their 14th semi. The Owls have a great Cup tradition, of course, having won the trophy on three occasions and having appeared in five finals.

They haven't won the F.A. Cup since 1935, though, when the club was a successful First Division side so there would be a certain irony about the whole thing if they should succeed this season when they have been slipping a bit in Division Two.

Wednesday's path to the semi-final was not too formidable. They needed three games to dispose of Third Division Southend (2-1) but then won 3-2 at Torquay. A 2-1 victory at Cambridge gave them a sixth round tie with Burnley. The Owls drew 1-1 at Turf Moor and then scored a convincing 5-0 victory in the replay.

Wednesday also experienced a good run in the Milk Cup, making it to the quarter-finals. A 3-2 aggregate victory over Bristol City was followed by a 2-1 success at Crystal Palace. They then defeated Barnsley 1-0 at Hillsborough before bowing out down at Arsenal when they lost only narrowly 0-1.

So, whatever the outcome of next Saturday's clash with Brighton, Wednesday will be able to look back on this season with much pride even though it will be tinged with the disappointment of another promotion near-miss.

The club reached its lowest ebb when it dipped into the Third Division for the first time in 1975. Twelve months later they missed a further drop into Division Four by just one point but it was from there that their fortunes began to rise again.

They won promotion from the Third Division in 1980 and made a strong bid for further promotion the following season. Last season they missed promotion by a solitary point.

When they opened this season in scintillating form with three successive wins, the Owls seemed really to be on the

way back. In November they were on top of the table.

Then things started to go wrong. There seemed no logical reason. But a run of nine games without a win really knocked their promotion hopes and though they still, technically, have a chance of going up no one would back them for promotion now.

As the holiday games approached Wednesday could look back on four away wins in the League — at Charlton (3-0), Q.P.R. (2-0), Blackburn (3-2) and Leicester (2-0) but the last of those was achieved back in October.

Wednesday have drawn at Cambridge (2-2), Barnsley (0-0), Middlesbrough (1-1), Grimsby (1-1) and Derby (0-0).

They were beaten at Carlisle (2-4), Shrewsbury (0-1), Fulham (0-1), Crystal Palace (0-2), Burnley (1-4) and Wolves (0-1).

Sheffield Wednesday have been keeping a fairly settled team throughout the season. Their chief strikers are Gary Bannister and Andy McCulloch though John Pearson has often appeared here.

David Mills, a recent signing from West Bromwich Albion, has been added to the midfield strength but for the past few matches the line-up has been Kevin Taylor, Gary Megson, Gary Shelton and Pat Heard.

Mike Lyons, signed from Everton last summer, and Mark Smith play in the middle of the defence with Peter Shirliff standing in occasionally. Ian Bailey, who spent a loan period with us last season, is the left-back with Melvyn Sterland on the opposite flank. Bob Bolder continues to hold the goalkeeping position.

Sheffield was, of course, the birthplace of Association Football. The Wednesday, as the club was then known, was elected to the First Division of the Football League in 1892 and first won the League Championship in 1903 and 1904. They repeated that feat by topping the First Division in successive season again in 1929 and 1930.

Wednesday won the F.A. Cup in 1896, 1907, and 1935. They were poised to win it again in 1966 but they allowed a 2-0 lead to slip during the second-half and ended up 2-3 losers to Everton.

Though the club has several times slipped out of the First Division in the past, this period since 1970 is the longest it has endured outside the top section.

BOB BOULDER (Goalkeeper). Bob is a giant of a goalkeeper who developed in the junior teams at Hillsborough. He made his League debut for the Owls in 1977 and is now their first choice in goal.

SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY



Back Row: J. Pearson, A. McCulloch, M. Sterland, B. Bolder, M. Lyons, M. Smith, T. Matthewson.
 Middle Row: M. Setters (Coach), G. Megson, S. Mills, Peter Shirtliff, A. Mirocevic, F. Blunstone (Coach), A. Toms (P.T.I.).
 Front Row: D. Mills, G. Shelton, K. Taylor, J. Charlton (Manager), G. Bannister, I. Bailey, P. Heard.

MELVYN STERLAND (Defender). Melvyn has been holding the right-back position. A product of the junior teams, Melvyn made his League debut four seasons ago and took over a regular place two seasons ago.

MARK SMITH (Defender). Mark earned his chance in Wednesday's League side in 1977/78 and has been a fixture at centre-back for over four years now. His outstanding performances earned him five England under-21 caps.

MIKE LYONS (Defender). Mike made his first League appearance for Everton in 1970/71 and, during his early years, he switched from central defence to centre-forward. In 1973/74 he was Everton's leading scorer. A former England under-23 international, Mike cost Wednesday £80,000 when they signed him last summer.

IAN BAILEY (Defender). Ian, who spent a period on loan at Burnden Park last season, was blooded in Middlesbrough's senior side in 1975/76. The following season he was loaned to Doncaster and Carlisle. Wednesday paid £100,000 for him last summer.

PETER SHIRTLIFF (Defender). Peter completed his apprenticeship at Hillsborough, making his League debut in 1978. He is now coming up to his 100th League outing.

DAVID MILLS (Midfield). David joined Wednesday from W.B.A. for £30,000 a few weeks ago. He spent his early years with Middlesbrough, gaining England under-23 honours. He became England's costliest footballer when W.B.A. signed him for £500,000 in 1979. He spent much of the last season on loan to Newcastle.

PAT HEARD (Midfield). Pat is another fairly new arrival, his transfer from Aston Villa being completed for £60,000. He served his apprenticeship with Everton but got only 11 games in the Toffee's First Division side, before moving on

to Aston Villa for £100,000 in 1979.

GARY MEGSON (Midfield). Gary began his League career with Plymouth in 1977 and Argyle picked up £250,000 when he moved on to Everton in 1979. He didn't get to many chances in the Toffees' First Division side, though, and was happy to move on to Hillsborough for £130,000 in 1981.

KEVIN TAYLOR (Midfield). Kevin graduated from the junior teams to make his League bow in 1978/79 and has now played over 100 League games for the club.

ANTE MIROCEVIC (Midfield). Ante is a Yugoslav international who captained his country on the 1980 Moscow Olympic games. Wednesday paid a £200,000 club record fee to sign him two seasons ago.

GARY SHELTON (Midfield). Gary joined Wednesday from Aston Villa for £50,000 last season. He started with Walsall, joined Villa for £60,000 in 1977 and three seasons ago spent a loan period with Notts Co.

ANDY McCULLOCH (Forward). Andy opened his career with Q.P.R. but moved on to Cardiff for £45,000 in 1972. He was the Bluebirds' top scorer for two seasons and then joined Oxford for £75,000. In 1976 he was signed by Brentford for £25,000 and Wednesday invested £70,000 in his transfer in 1979. Two seasons ago he was their leading scorer with 18 goals and he netted eight times last season.

GARY BANNISTER (Forward). Gary was only an occasional first-teamer with Coventry but went straight into Wednesday's side last season when he was top scorer with 22 goals.

JOHN PEARSON. John made his League debut in 1980/81 and won a firm place last season when he scored seven goals.

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CLUB NEWS

PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS

Today's meeting with the Owls will be the 92nd Football League game between the sides. Wednesday have won on 40 occasions compared to the Wanderers 30. Of these games today's will be only the 14th that has taken place outside the first division highlighting the great tradition of both clubs that goes back to their first meeting in September 1892 which was Wednesday's first ever Football League season. The result was a 1-0 win for the Wanderers but the honours went the other way later that season when Wednesday won 4-2 at Olive Grove.

Since then Wednesday have managed to win on 11 visits to Bolton the last time being in September 1974 when a goal from Bobby Brown was enough to win them the points although the Wanderers won 2-0 at Hillsborough later that season and Wednesday were relegated to the third division.

The Owls have twice managed to put 7 goals past the Wanderers. Firstly in March 1914 without reply this being their best victory against Bolton and also in September 1931 when they won 7-1 both these games taking place in Sheffield. To rub salt in the wound they also won both return games at Burnden. In contrast Bolton have never managed more than a three goal winning margin although they won the game that produced most goals between the sides in November 1957 with a 5-4 victory at Burnden. The Wanderers goals came from Doug Holden, Ray Parry, Brian Birch and a brace from Nat Lofthouse. This was after Wednesday led 3-2 at half time.

Last season's game here ended in a 3-1 win for the Wanderers with Jeff Chandler, Alan Gowling and Tony Henry getting on the scoresheet after Terry Curran had given the Yorkshiremen an early lead. This result eventually saved the Wanderers from relegation but put paid to any hope that Wednesday had of promotion.

Earlier this season Wednesday won by the same score with goals from Gary Shelton and two from John Pearson his first coming after only twenty seconds. Tony Henry scored the Wanderers goal from an almost impossible angle.

IN THE FA Cup we have been drawn together on six occasions. Five of these were before 1900 with Wednesday winning four of them Boltons victory coming in the 1894 semi final at Fallowfield.

In 1954 it was again Wednesday who won a 6th round tie here at Burnden after a 1-1 draw at Hillsborough.

In the League Cup we have been drawn together just once with Wednesday winning a 2nd round tie in 1972 by 2-0.

FLASHBACK

15 years ago: 13th April 1968. The Wanderers poor run continued with a 2-1 home defeat at the hands of Portsmouth. Brian Bromley returned to the side in place of Dave Lennard and Freddie Hill and John Ritson both returned to the side in the hope that it would halt the side.

To emphasise Bolton's fortune their goal came from an own goal by Smith before a crowd of 7,673.

17th April 1968 The Wanderers finally ended their run of 11 games without a win stretching back to February when Bristol City were defeated by the only goal at Burnden. Roy Greaves scored the winner before 7,105 spectators.

10 years ago: 7th April 1973. Watford came to Burnden and earned a point with a 1-1 draw. They took the lead in the 69th minute through Billy Jennings and looked like continuing their record of having won on all their visits to Bolton.

The Wanderers luck was in though as they were awarded a dubious penalty which Stuart Lee converted.

13th April 1973. The Wanderers visited Shrewsbury Town and came away with a 2-0 win to give them a five point lead at the top of the third division. Barry Siddall replaced Charlie Wright in goal for only his second league appearance but he had little to do as goals from John Byrom and Garry Jones won the points.

16th April 1973. 20,062 came to Burnden Park to see the Wanderers defeat Halifax Town by 3-0. Stuart Lee scored a hat trick in 34 minutes of the first half to seal the game. Manager Jimmy Arnfield was linked with the vacant managership at Everton after Bobby Robson had turned it down.

5 years ago. 8th April 1978. A 35th minute goal by former Wanderer Don McAllister gave Spurs a 1-0 victory over Bolton

in a top of the table clash at White Hart Lane. Ray Train came back into the side in place of Alan Gowling. A crowd of 50,097 the best league gate of the season that the Wanderers played in front and saw Jim McDonagh injure his thigh in only the first minute. He bravely played on protected by his back four, as the side earned plenty of praise from Spurs manager Keith Burkinshaw.

RESERVE REPORT

29th March Notts County Reserves 3 Bolton Reserves 2
Wanderers reserves went down by 3-2 at Notts County after holding a 2 goal lead and dominating the game for over an hour. New signing Brian Borrows made his debut in Bolton colours playing in the middle of defence and the Wanderers also gave a Central League debut to Dean Roberts who performed well at Centre forward.

It took only four minutes of the game for the Wanderers to take the lead when Warren Joyce sent a spectacular left foot volley from the edge of the penalty area past the stranded Avramovic in the County goal.

The Wanderers dominated the first half and should have increased their lead on a number of occasions. Notts County centre half Lahtinen headed against his own post and Paul Keighley should have scored when the Wanderers broke out of defence to find Avramovic 35 yards from his goal but his shot went wide. The Wanderers only moment of anxiety in the first half was when Jimmy Phillips cleared of the line after Warren Joyce and Simon Farnworth had collided in an attempt to clear the ball.

The second half continued with the same pattern with County relying heavily on the offside trap.

In the 55th minute Steve Thompson put the Wanderers two up when he shot home a cross from Paul Keighley after Andy Hodgkinson had done the spadework.

County pulled a goal back in the 74th minute when the unmarked Jones kicked the ball into an empty net from a Harkouk cross.

The goal put more confidence into County's play and with a strong wind at their backs they equalised in the 79th minute when Jones rose above everyone to head home a right wing corner.

Two minutes from time Joyce and Harkouk were booked after they had collided in the middle of the park and blows had been exchanged.

Harkouk had the last word when in the dying seconds he scored the winner from 8 yards out with the Wanderers defence appealing for offside, a claim which certainly looked justified.

With this result it would need an enormous effort from the Wanderers win the Championship as Forest won by 2-1 at Wigan on the same evening.

The top of the Central League 2nd division up to and including 30th March is as follows:—

	PL	W	D	L	PTS
Nottingham Forest	25	19	3	3	41
Bolton Wanderers	24	16	2	6	34
Sunderland	22	11	7	4	29
Burnley	19	9	5	5	23
Derby County	22	10	2	10	22
Manchester City	23	10	2	11	22
Notts County	20	9	3	8	21
Chesterfield	21	8	4	9	20

JUNIOR WHITES

Today's mascot is John Charlton of Kildare Street, Farnworth. John who is 12 years old attends St. Augustines School and plays in goal for the school team. He also plays for All Saints and his favourite player is Jim McDonagh.



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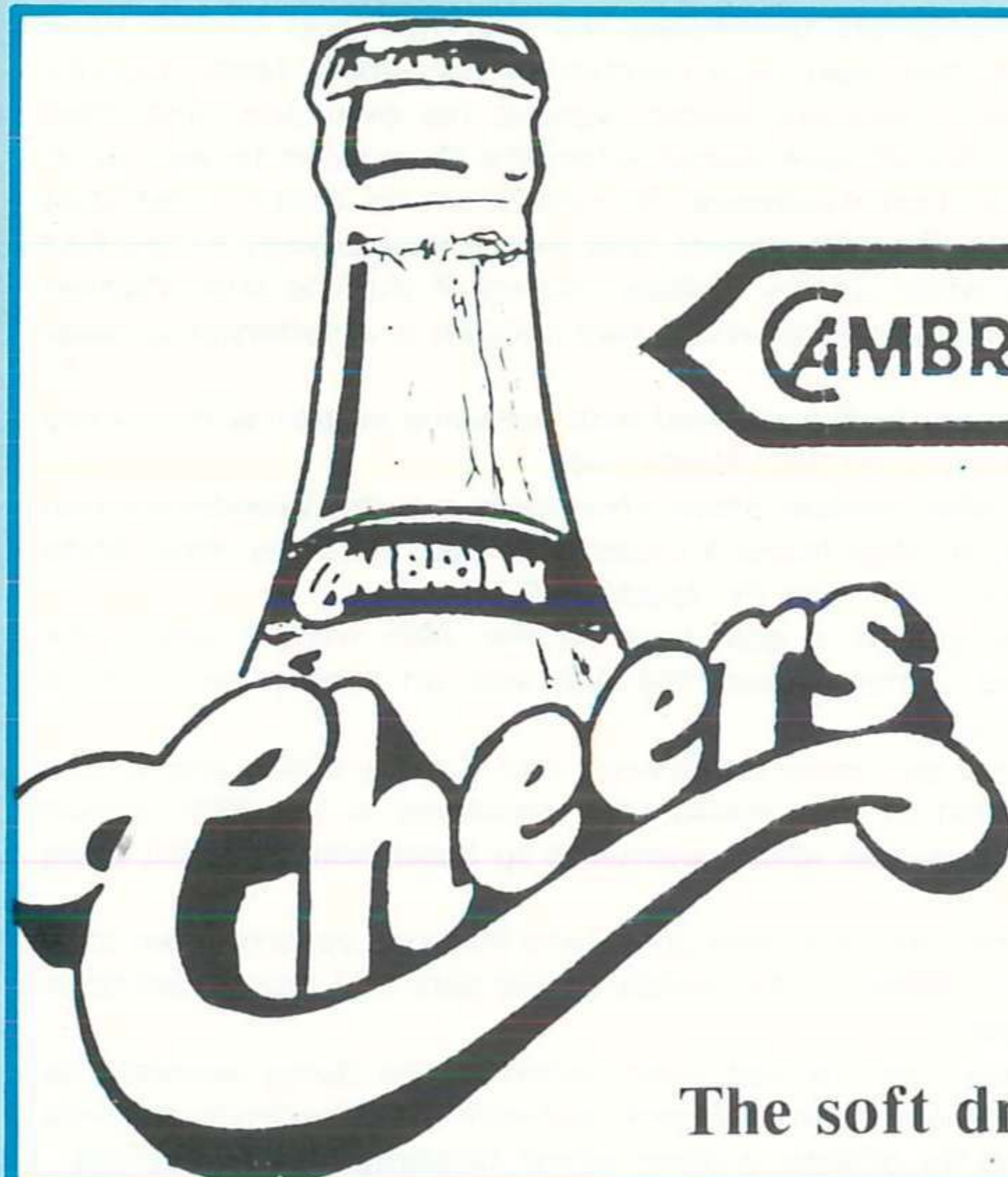
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A THIRTEEN MAN GAME!

By Colin Benson

DO you remember when substitutes were first allowed in the Football League? It was 1965 and the scheme was voted in on a 39-10 majority after a succession of FA Cup Final show pieces had been marred by serious injuries which had depleted teams to ten men.

It seemed a logical step to take. The continentals had been practicing it for years and England also came up against it in the international arena. But even so the very suggestion of introducing a substitute player seemed to go against the conservative grain and there were warnings that the whole spirit of English football would be eroded.

But in it came, although the regulation was quite specific that a substitution could only be made to replace an injured player. Obviously in the competitive climate of League football there were many who ignored this stipulation and it became quite a common sight to see players given the signal from the bench to feign an injury so that they could be replaced by the twelfth man.

So in 1966, despite the horror displayed by many officials and observers the clause concerning substitutes only for injured players was removed and the Football League became a twelve man game.

Now some 17 years on, all those old skeletons have been stirred out of their cupboards because Liverpool want the League to fall in line with the rest of the world and allow two substitutes in domestic competition.

The Football League were quite willing to put the suggestion into practice for an experimental trial season in the First Division but it seems that although the idea has not been formerly put to clubs, the majority are against the system.

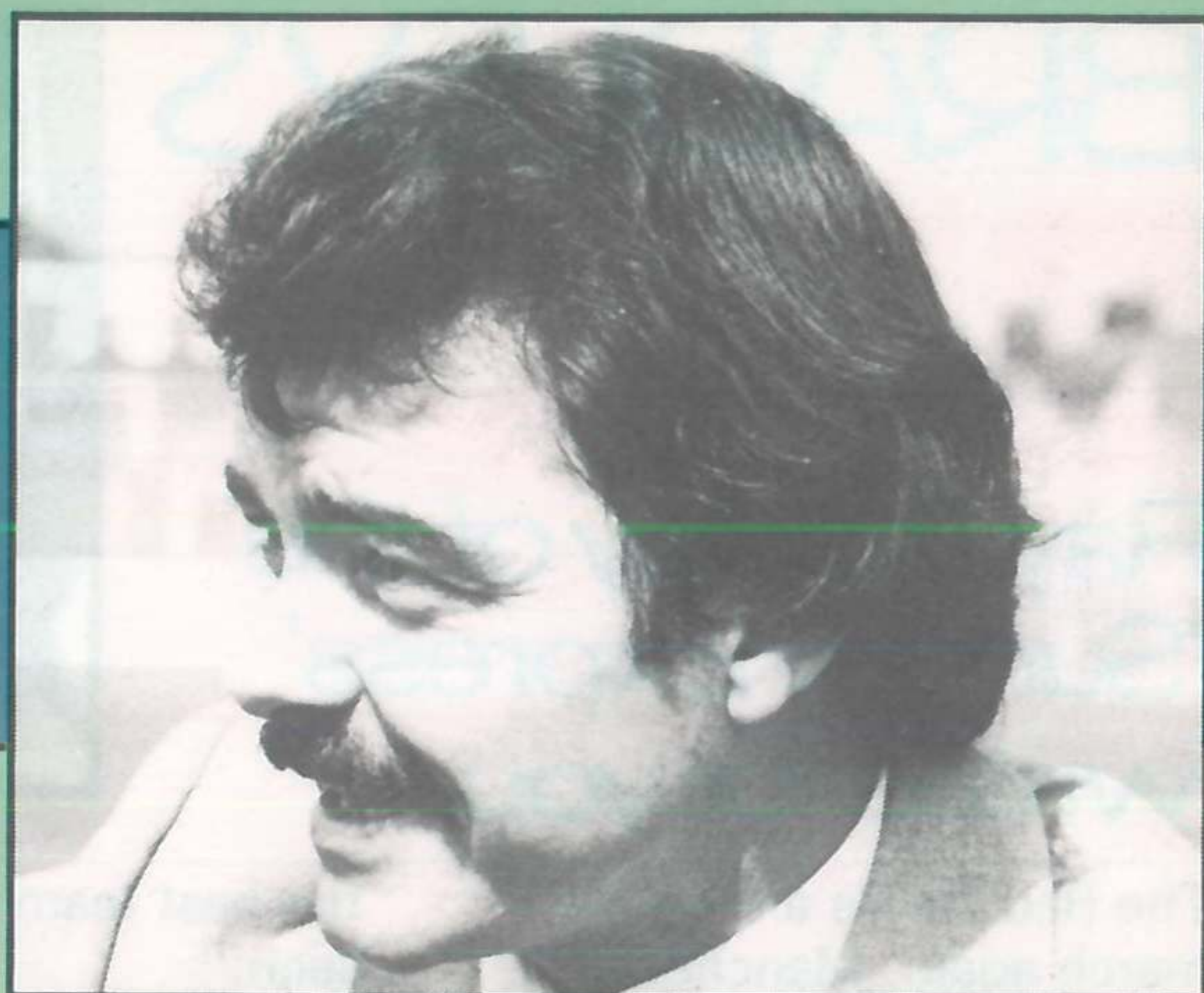
A League spokesman said: "There have been varying opinions expressed by clubs and some even feel that there should be no substitutes allowed at all."

OPEN TO ABUSE

It seems a strange reaction at this time of smaller playing squads when injuries to players are even more decisive. Liverpool claim that the facility of two substitutes will ensure that players are not forced to stay on when injured after the original substitution has been made, and therefore it will cut down the damage to the struggling player.

But around the country there is a great feeling of reluctance to tamper further with the regulations governing subs. Birmingham City boss Ron Saunders says: "I have absolutely no feelings on the subject at all. I have a problem at the moment getting twelve never mind thirteen players!"

Over in East Anglia, Ken Brown, the Norwich City manager, is also short and to the point, dismissing the proposal like this: "I don't believe in messing about with the rules. If there is a change then I would like to see it



The Football League's first substitute, Keith Peacock.

altered to one substitute and a goalkeeper at any time.

"I think one outfield player is enough and if you start adding to that it leaves too many options for abuse."

There was similar soul-searching in 1965 but any fears have been dispelled by the practice which has proved very successful over the years.

The scheme does have its supporters mind you, among them Keith Peacock the first ever substitute. "That was my claim to fame," smiles the 37 year old former Charlton Athletic midfield player who is now the manager of Gillingham.

TACTICALLY NAIVE

Keith was brought on after just 11 minutes of Charlton's opening game of the season against Bolton Wanderers when the goalkeeper was injured. Manager Bob Stokoe shuffled the pack with Hughes going into goal and Keith resuming his normal midfield role.

"I like the Liverpool proposal," says Keith, "I think two substitutes would be a good thing. It gives you a little bit more variation."

"Forget the financial implications of having to utilise another player for the moment and think of it from purely a playing point of view and it has got to make sense."

"You know I don't think we have we have got to grips with the development of substitutes in this country. I spent two years in the States working with Gordon Jago and there they use substitutes much more freely as a tactical weapon."

"You can change your way of playing if things are not going well. In the NASL you have five substitutes of which three can be used and this gives you great scope. Maybe you start a game with four midfield players and then want to attack the opposition more so you throw on two wingers. It changes the pattern of play — not always in your favour — but it makes the game more interesting and exciting."

"With one sub it makes it almost impossible to cover every contingency. You might have to name a defender as sub for a home game because there is a doubt about one of your other back-four players and then you fall behind. Just when you could do with a striker to liven things up you are unable to change the pattern. With more subs you could do this and in the long run that would be better for the fans."

It is difficult to understand why a business that relies on stimulating the fans should be so reluctant to adopt a policy that could help the game's entertainment value.

BRADLEY'S BRIEF

Ray Bradley of the 'Sunday Express' writes for you



The Red Devils are on the march again. Manchester United are back in the groove, back at Wembley and eager to mount another assault on the lucrative European circuit next season.

The most charismatic club in Britain — not even mighty Liverpool for all their success can equal United's pulling power — can look on a term of transition with commendable pride under the astute guidance of manager Ron Atkinson, a man who loves to be a winner.

He spelt out his philosophy as a manager when he took over the Old Trafford reins from Dave Sexton in June 1981 with the simple statement: "United are the biggest club in the world. My job is simply to put them back on top."

"I will never accept or excuse defeat and I don't intend to. I want to win things here. I want this club to field

the best team the world has seen."

A big task for a big man who has never been afraid to shoulder responsibility or back his beliefs. A bold man ready to back his hunches with hard cash as he proved when he set a new British transfer record of £1.7 million to land Bryan Robson and build a side around his unique talents.

An extrovert with a ruthless streak when necessary, but essentially a players' man who perfectly identifies with a team and a club that could never be accused of lacking ambition.

RESILIENCE

United have built a reputation for playing exciting, attacking football, but now they have found that touch of steel to merge with all that traditional skill and it has given them an extra dimension and a new competitive edge that makes them the equal of Liverpool — the team that Atkinson admires above all

others.

"But he seized his chance and is now a vital link in the side. He has more skill than people give him credit for; he is tenacious in the tackle and above all he is a tremendous competitor. He wants to win and he has certainly won over the fans with his application and his own all-out style."

"You really can't tick without men like Remi. He makes things happen and brings out the best qualities in the players around him — just like Bryan Robson."

Skilled Dutch star Arnold Muhren is the play maker in this brilliant midfield combination. Atkinson picked him up for nothing when his contract ran out at Ipswich and Muhren has proved to be one of his best signings.

Not that there was ever much doubt about his pedigree. The elegant Dutchman had been hailed consistently as the best left-side midfield motivator in the country after four splendid seasons with Ipswich. So you could hardly argue that Atkinson was slow to pounce when Muhren became a free agent at the end of his contract at Portman Road. Atkinson was buying class and he knew it.

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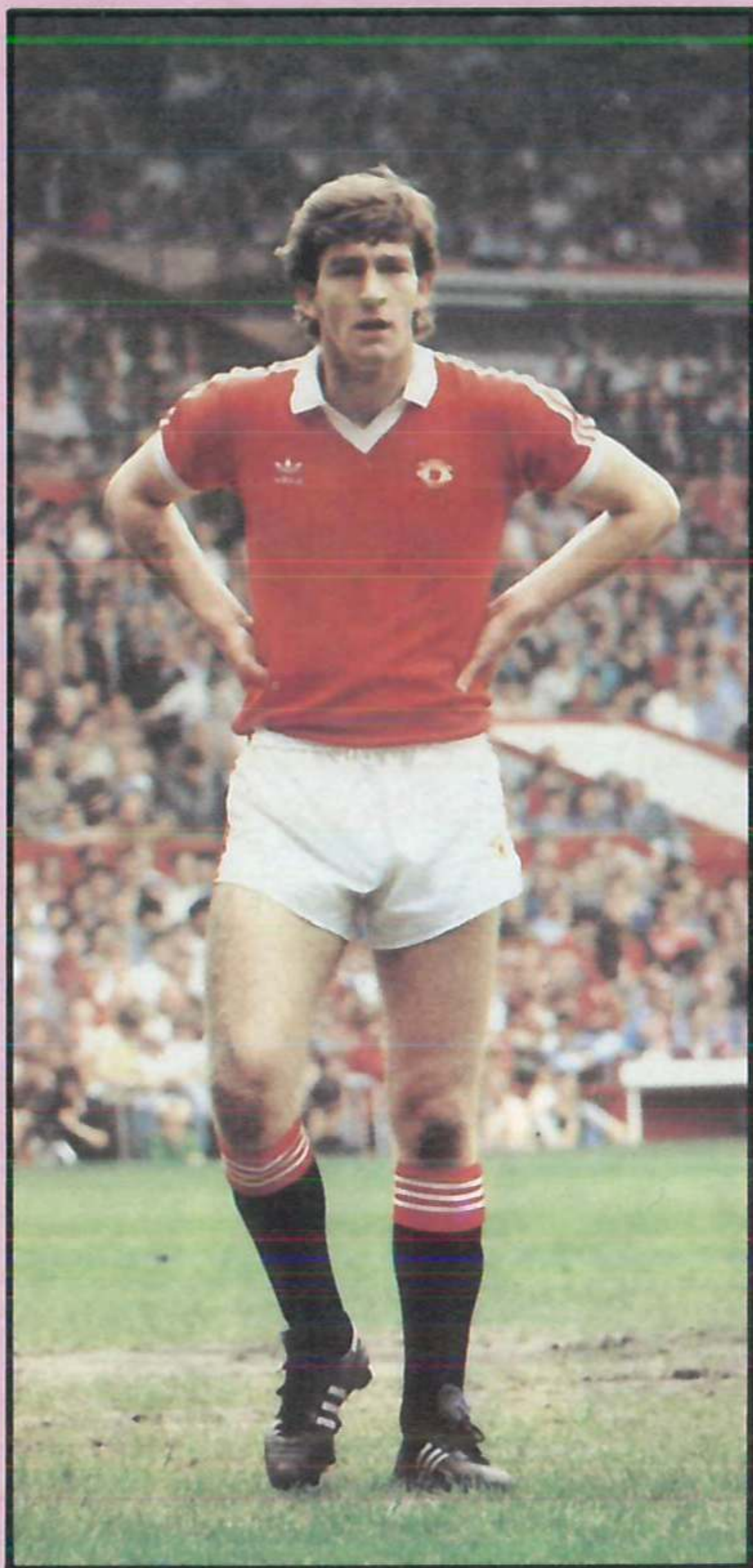
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establishing partnership up front with Frank Stapleton — a £900,000 import from Arsenal — United now have a perfect balance of youth, aggression and skill. And there is plenty of competition for places — the secret of Liverpool's success over the years.

Watch out Liverpool. The Red Devils are on the march and United are united again!

After a sparkling New Year run in which United crushed Arsenal in the Milk Cup to reach Wembley and set up a titanic battle with Liverpool, Atkinson claimed: "We now have the bit between our teeth and the team is oozing with confidence.

ROBSON INJURED

"The players have shown they now have the character and commitment necessary to succeed. There is a new determination in the side and players are willing to battle for the ball. That is important. It is nice to entertain because the customers demand open, attractive football. But we are prepared to graft now and that is essential if we want to be up there with the Liverpools of this world."

One player who has helped forge this new steel link in a United side that is now gathering in aggregate confidence is little Remi Moses an all-action midfielder who can both win and use the ball

for a £400,000 fee he looked very much the junior partner and had a tough battle to establish a regular place in the side. But his ball-winning ability and tenacious approach proved the turning point for United when he was drafted back into the side as stand-in for injured England skipper Ray Wilkins.

When Wilkins was fit, Moses proved he was in the side to stay and the former Chelsea star had to wait patiently in the wings until an injury to Robson allowed him to return from the Shadows.

Moses also succeeded in winning over United fans who had doubled his ability when he first came into the team.



Frank Stapleton who at last found his scoring form.

and his presence in the side is now as essential as Robson's.

When Moses — the Tiger in United's tank — first arrived at Old Trafford from West Brom

Says Atkinson: "When he arrived from West Brom I think the fans were expecting a flair player and did not appreciate his value as a motivator.



The 1984 European Championship

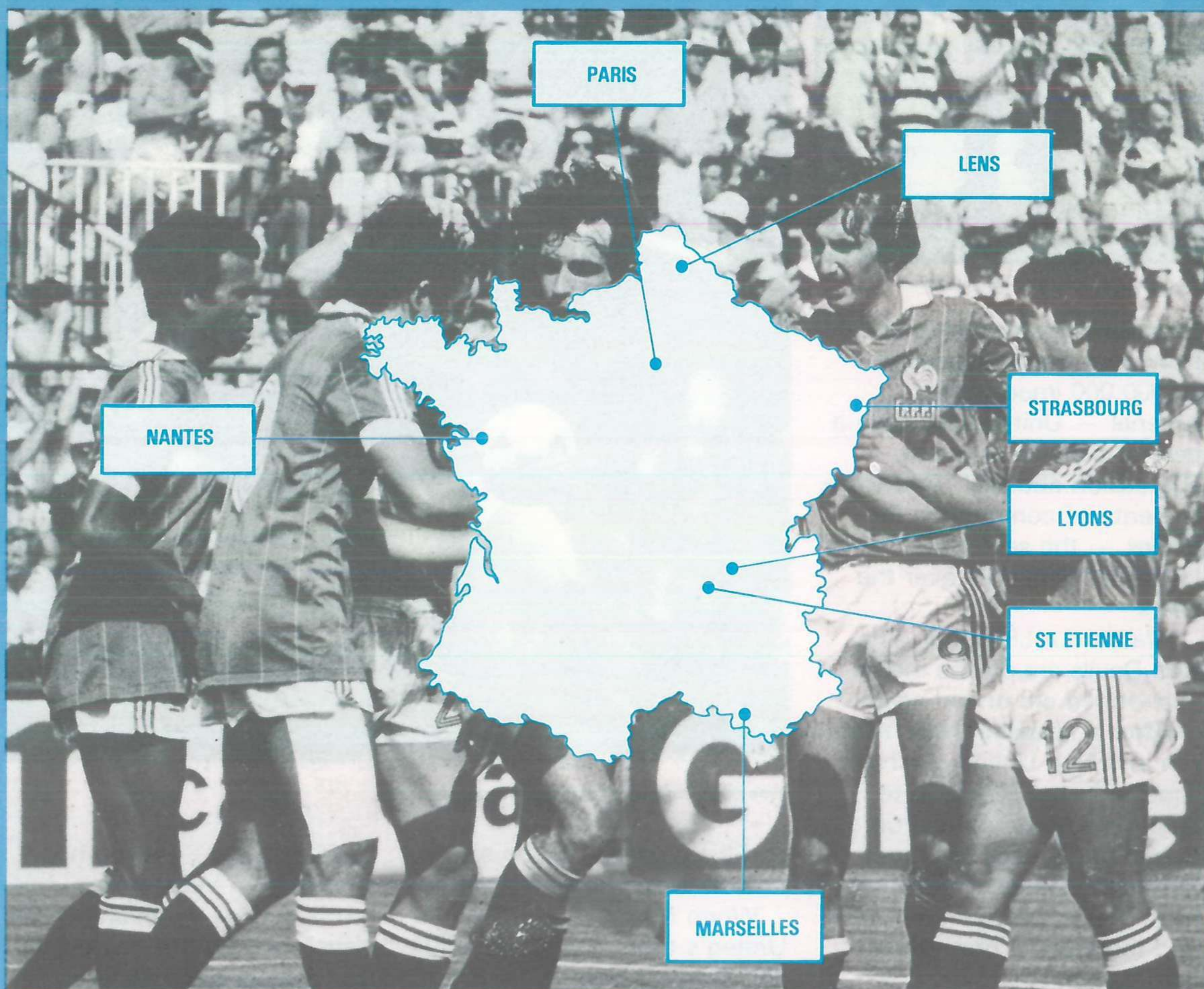
The finals of the 1984 European Championship will be staged in seven cities in France between June 12 and 27th 1984. The locations chosen are Paris, Nantes, St Etienne, Lens, Marseilles, Lyons and Strasbourg, all of which will stage two matches, with the exception of Paris which also hosts the final.

The programme will comprise of a preliminary round of 12 matches which will be completed by June 20. The semi-finals will be held in Lyons on June 24 and in Marseilles the following day. The final will then take place on June 27 in the Parc de Princes in Paris.

The organisers have

planned it so that no team has a home base in which they play all their first phase matches which will be staged in two groups, using all of the locations. They have also ensured that no team will be more than one hour's flight from the venue.

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1984 Championship



TIMETABLE OF EVENTS

Date	Match	Venue	Kick-off	Opponents	
Monday 12 June 1984	1	Paris	20h30	1-2	Group 1
Tuesday 13 June	2	Lens	20h30	3-4	Group 1
Wednesday 14 June	3	Strasbourg	17h15	5-6	Group 2
Wednesday 14 June	4	St Etienne	20h30	7-8	Group 2
Friday 16 June	5	Nantes	17h15	1-3	Group 1
Friday 16 June	6	Lyon	20h30	2-4	Group 1
Saturday 17 June	7	Lens	17h15	5-7	Group 2
Saturday 17 June	8	Marseilles	20h30	6-8	Group 2
Monday 19 June	9	St Etienne	20h30	1-4	Group 1
Monday 19 June	10	Strasbourg	20h30	2-3	Group 1
Tuesday 20 June	11	Paris	20h30	5-8	Group 2
Tuesday 20 June	12	Nantes	20h30	6-7	Group 2
Friday 23 June	13	Lyon	20h30	winners G1 v second G2	semi-final
Saturday 24 June	14	Marseilles	20h30	winners G2 v second G1	semi-final
Tuesday 27 June	15	Paris	20h30		Final

THE STADIA

Venue	Ground	Capacity	Pitch dimensions
Paris	Parc des Princes	50,000	105 × 68m
Lens	Stade Felix-Bollaert	51,000	105 × 68m
Nantes	Stade de la Beaujoire	52,000	105 × 68m
Strasbourg	Stade de la Meinau	55,000	105 × 68m
Lyons	Stade de Gerland	52,000	105 × 68m
St Etienne	Stade Geoffroy-Guichard	52,000	105 × 68m
Marseilles	Stade-velodrome	55,000	105 × 68m

Government and local authorities to the tune of £35 million are constructing two new stadiums in Nantes (52,000 capacity) and Strasbourg (55,000) and renovating those in Lyons (52,000), Lens (51,000), St Etienne (52,000) and Marseilles (55,000).

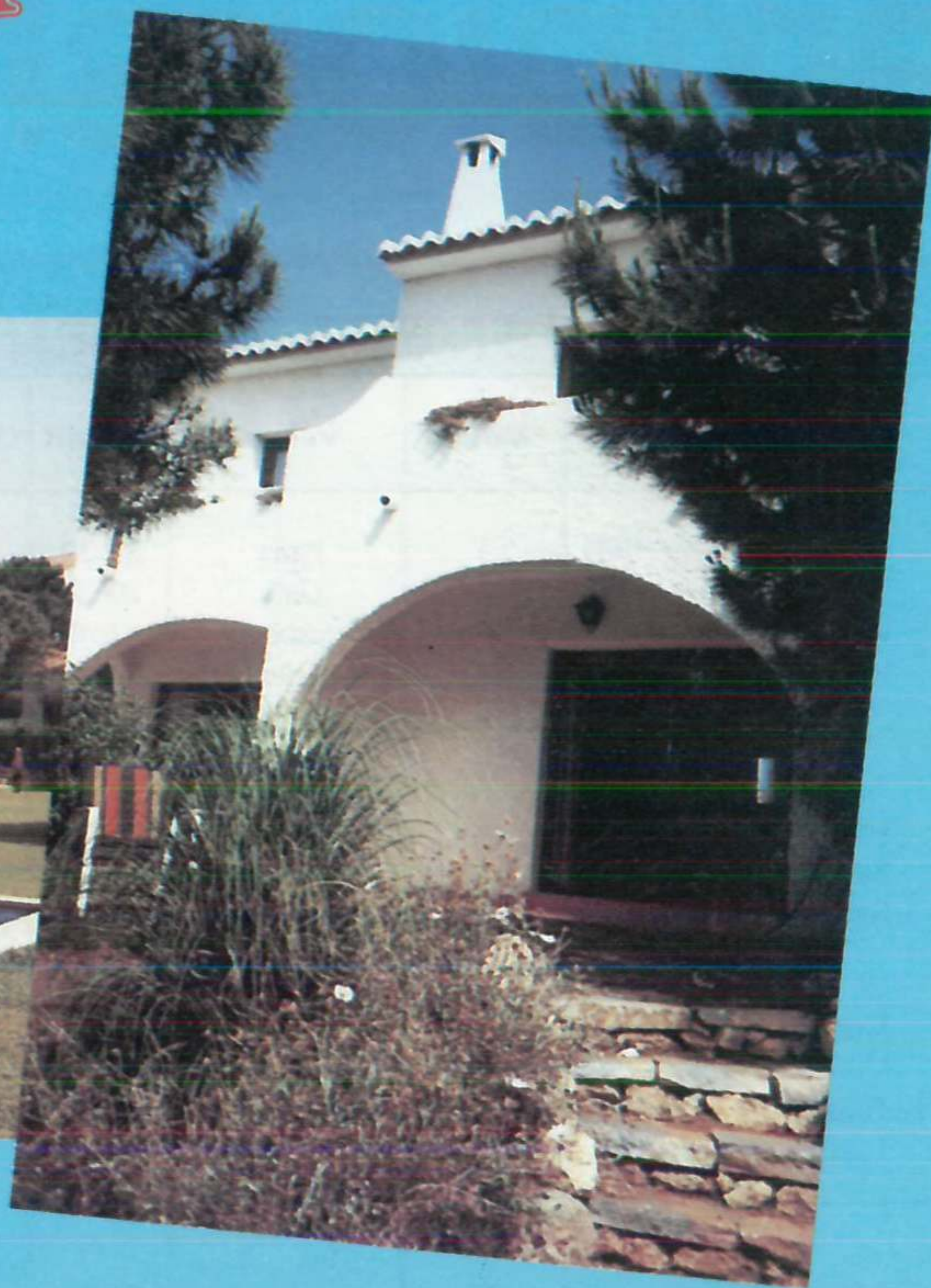
The eight finalists will be split into two groups of four and the tournament will kick off on Monday June 12th in Paris with a Group one fixture, between teams one and two.

Teams three and four then meet on Tuesday in Lens and Group two gets underway with fixtures in Strasbourg and St Etienne on Wednesday, June 14th.

The majority of the matches will kick-off at 20.30 hours but on the dates when there are two matches played one will start earlier, at 17.15 hours in order to facilitate full TV coverage of the whole tournament.

For those of you planning to incorporate your holiday with the fifth European Championship Finals — Championnat d'Europe 1984 — we publish here the full timetable of events, although of course it will not be until next December that the actual finalists are known.

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BLISSETT JOINS ENGLAND'S GOALSCORING ELITE

When England defeated Wales 2-1 at Wembley last February it concluded their 137th full international in the famous old stadium.

It all began way back on April 12th 1924 when England were held by Scotland to a 1-1 draw. The next international was not staged until March 31st 1928 however, when Scotland again were the visitors, this time crushing England 5-1.

It proved a particularly rewarding afternoon for Huddersfield Town's former Aberdeen forward Alec Jackson who netted three goals, the first ever international hat-trick on the Wembley turf.

Incredibly the individual feat of scoring three or more goals in a game has only been achieved by eleven other players in 58 years of international football at Wembley Stadium, the most recent success being that of Luther Blissett, the Watford striker, who scored three goals on his full England debut, against Luxembourg last December.

But after Jackson's memorable feat the fans had to wait a further 26 years before they witnessed a similar performance. This time it was the magic of Hungary's Hidegkuti who brightened a grey November afternoon as he led the Magical Magyars to a sensational 6-3 victory over England, the first defeat of England by a foreign side on English soil.

VINTAGE ERA

It wasn't until November 1954 that Roy Bentley (Chelsea) became the first England player to hit a hat-trick at Wembley. The victims were Wales who lost 3-2 — both the Welsh goals coming from John Charles — and Bentley playing at number eight, was part of a forward line which read Matthews, Bentley, Ronnie Allen, Shackleton and Frank Blunstone, who is now coaching with Sheffield Wednesday.

In April 1955, Wolverhampton Wanderers shooting star Dennis Wilshaw went one better when he bagged four goals in England's 7-2 victory over Scotland. Nat Lofthouse who is still with Bolton Wanderers also netted two and the other goal came from Don Revie who was later to manage the England team.

Tommy Taylor who was tragically killed in the Munich Air Disaster, also made the record books when he scored three against the Republic of Ireland in a World Cup Qualifying match in May 1957. England won 5-1 and it was John Atyeo who fired the other two.

One of the best ever passers of a ball, Johnny Haynes (Fulham) turned from provider to scorer when he clinched a hat-trick against Russia in an emotional 5-0 victory on a murky October afternoon in 1958. A penalty from Bobby Charlton and a typically brave effort from Nat Lofthouse completed the scoring.

The spring of 1961 proved the vintage goalscoring season however as England fans wallowed in an orgy of goals. On April 15th Scotland were shattered 9-3 and it was the enigmatic Jimmy Greaves (Chelsea), who led the onslaught with three. Spurs Bobby Smith and Johnny Haynes notched a couple a piece and the scoreline was completed by Bobby Robson, now England's manager and Bryan Douglas (Blackburn Rovers).

HURST SUPREME

A month later and Mexico were routed 8-0. England's all-time top scorer Bobby Charlton (he scored 49 goals in 106 internationals), was the three goal hero this time out. Again Robson scored, Douglas netted two, Gerry Hitchens (Aston Villa) scored one and Ron Flowers (Wolves) converted a penalty.

Wembley's first full international under floodlights was staged on November 20, 1963, and for the visitors Northern Ireland it was a clear case of wishing the lights had gone out. After taking the lead they were pasted 8-3 by a rampant England. Jimmy Greaves scored four to become the only player to score two hat-tricks in Wembley internationals and with Southampton winger Terry Paine also helping himself to three of the goals, that game also goes down in the record books as the only double hat-trick . . . Bobby Smith blasted the other goal.

It was another twelve years before the twin towers were to acclaim another goalscoring feat, and again another record was to be set. England lined up against Cyprus in a European Championship Qualifying tie and slammed the visitors 5-0. Or rather Supremac — Malcolm Macdonald — the then Newcastle centreforward did. For it was he who scored all five goals to establish an England record.

But perhaps the greatest record of all is the one we have left out. Yes Geoff Hurst's memorable hat-trick against West Germany in the Final of the 1966 World Cup. England won 4-2, Martin Peters being the other scorer and Geoff remains the only man in history to have scored three goals in a World Cup Final . . . and it happened at Wembley, the Mecca of international football.



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SPENDING BIG IS THINKING BIG

Despite all the recent adverse criticism, big transfers can be justified. This is the considered opinion of Jimmy Hill, managing director of Coventry City, and Malcolm Struel, chairman of Swansea City, two of the men responsible for allocating the expenditure.

Hill argues that big fees generate excitement. "After all", he says, "the traditional way of running a football club was to give the fans a couple of new faces every year and the same principle still applies.

"But the important point, these days, is that you don't spend what you haven't got. Yet if money is going to the tax man, who already gets enough out of football through the pools, then I would rather see it spent and filter through the game to become the lifeblood of other clubs.

"If we don't have any big transfer fees, think how much good promotional value is lost to the game. It was odd that while the rest of the country was going crazy when Nottingham Forest made Trevor Francis football's first million pound player, the local radio station was screaming that it was the city's greatest day since Robin Hood".

Struel points out that big-money players are assets of which the bank manager is very much aware. He says: "An overdraft of half a million pounds does not look so fearsome to the bank manager who knows that the transfer value of the players is around four or five million. But if a transfer ceiling were to cut the value of those players to around a million and a half pounds, how many bank managers would still permit the overdraft to reach £500,000?"

Struel also defends the instalment system of paying transfer fees. "In any on-going business you plan, or phase, your expenditure. You commit yourself to £1,000,000 and you pay it in three or four instalments. It is normal commercial planning, so why should it be wrong when football clubs do it?"

HELPING THE DISABLED

Football is doing more and more for disabled fans. For example, Barnsley have built a splendid new enclosure, and the Grimsby Town

Handicapped Supporters' Club continues to flourish in an almost unique way. Grimsby take a coach-load of handicapped supporters to nearly every away game even though trips to London rarely return them to Humberside until the early hours of Sunday morning.

Mr. Bob Jones, chairman of the club, says modestly: "The club was formed at the beginning of last season when we visited 14 away grounds, and we've done even better this time.



One of the Grimsby favourites
Trevor Whymark

"We have to travel by coach, of course. Usually we take between 14 and 20 disabled between the ages of 12 and the middle thirties, and some two dozen helpers. All we charge them is £2 per head, so we make a loss on almost every trip.

"How do we make up the difference? Grimsby's players and management are among our keenest supporters. They regularly turn up to all the fund-raising functions we organise. They look upon it as a return for the support our disabled fans give them at Blundell Park and elsewhere.

"I ring up the next visiting club about a fortnight before the match to arrange tickets and smooth out any obvious problems about getting into the ground and, usually, they are all marvellously co-operative. Cambridge United, for instance, were magnificent. They have the smallest ground in the League but insisted that we were their guests. And Orient, when Grimsby's match at Charlton was called off, accommodated us at the last minute".

Secretary of the Grimsby club is Mrs. Daphne Farquahson, whose husband died while pushing his disabled son, in his wheel-chair, towards Blundell Park. "She does all the work", says Mr. Jones, "and gets very little of the glory".

LEICESTER'S ROAD-SHOW

Second Division Leicester City have discovered a novel way of spreading the Filbert Street gospel to the youngsters of Leicester. They take to the road. The Leicester City Road-show will visit any Leicester school which cares to invite them. But the waiting list is getting longer.

Permanent members of the Road-show are the club's Public Relations Officer Graham Clark and Youth Liaison Officer Jack Curtis, a former school teacher. They are joined by two of the club's players, one from the senior squad and another from the youth and apprentice section of the club whose school days are comparatively recent.

"The original idea", says Clark, "was to do one a month. It is already two a week, and has generated tremendous enthusiasm. They invite us by asking their sportsmaster to drop us a line, and in return we chat to them for about an hour and invite them back to the club. Who knows, in a few years time, we might get one or two players out of it!"

Youth-minded Leicester also invite members of the Junior Fox club to join two of the senior players and members of the club's staff for coaching at City's Belvoir Drive training ground on the first Sunday in every month.

Successful? "You bet", says Clark. "We average about 140. So successful, that a bloke even brings a hamburger stall up there and makes a small fortune. Wish we'd thought of it first."

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BOLTON RECORD



ANOTHER dip into the pictorial past of our famous club unearthed two more intriguing snaps which again highlight the Cup-winning traditions of the Wanderers.

Few people these days will recognise the famous faces in our top picture — but many will have heard of the names of the players taking the field at Wembley for the 1926 F.A. Cup Final when Bolton met Manchester City.

The result was a 1-0 win for the Wanderers, the second in our trio of F.A. Cup successes in the 1920s.

The team marching confidently out to do battle with Lancashire neighbours City (from left to right) are: Billy Butler, David Jack, Joe Smith, J.R. Smith, Jimmy Seddon, Billy Jennings, Ted Vizard, Harry Nuttall, Bob Haworth, Harry Greenhalgh and Dick Pym.

The only goal of the game was scored by David Jack.

Goalkeeper Dick Pym, who played in the three successful Wembley appearances of the twenties, recently celebrated his 90th birthday at his home near Plymouth.

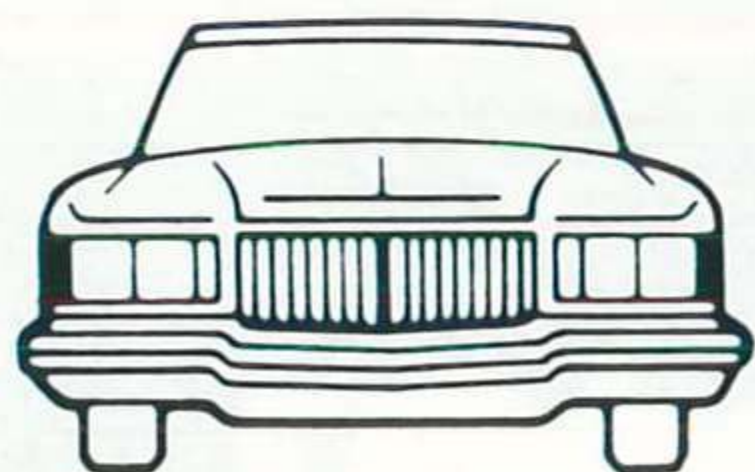
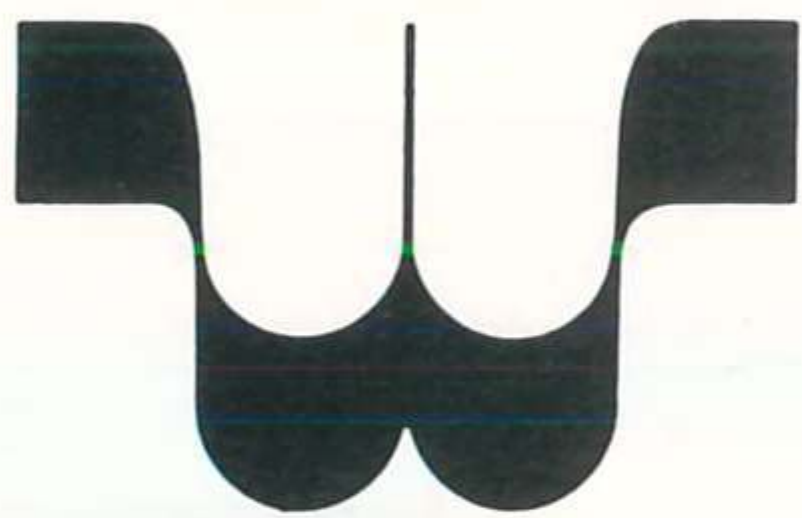
Just look at the crowds (bottom picture) who turned out to give the Wanderers a rousing reception when they paraded more silverware through the streets of the town.

League Championship? F.A. Cup? You'd think it was one of these two major trophies judging by the size of the crowds.

Nothing of the kind. This was wartime. But the Wanderers brought some cheer to the town by winning the North Cup in 1945 and this coach parade gave many locals an opportunity to cast aside their worries for a while!



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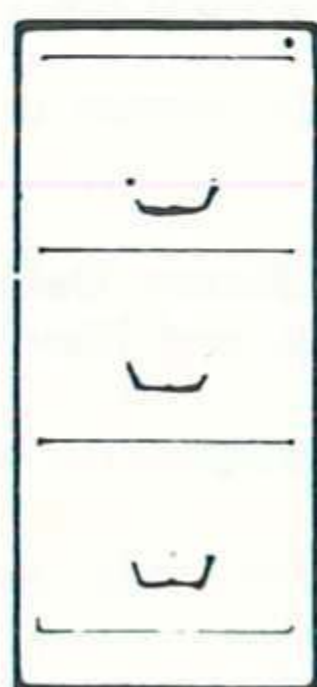
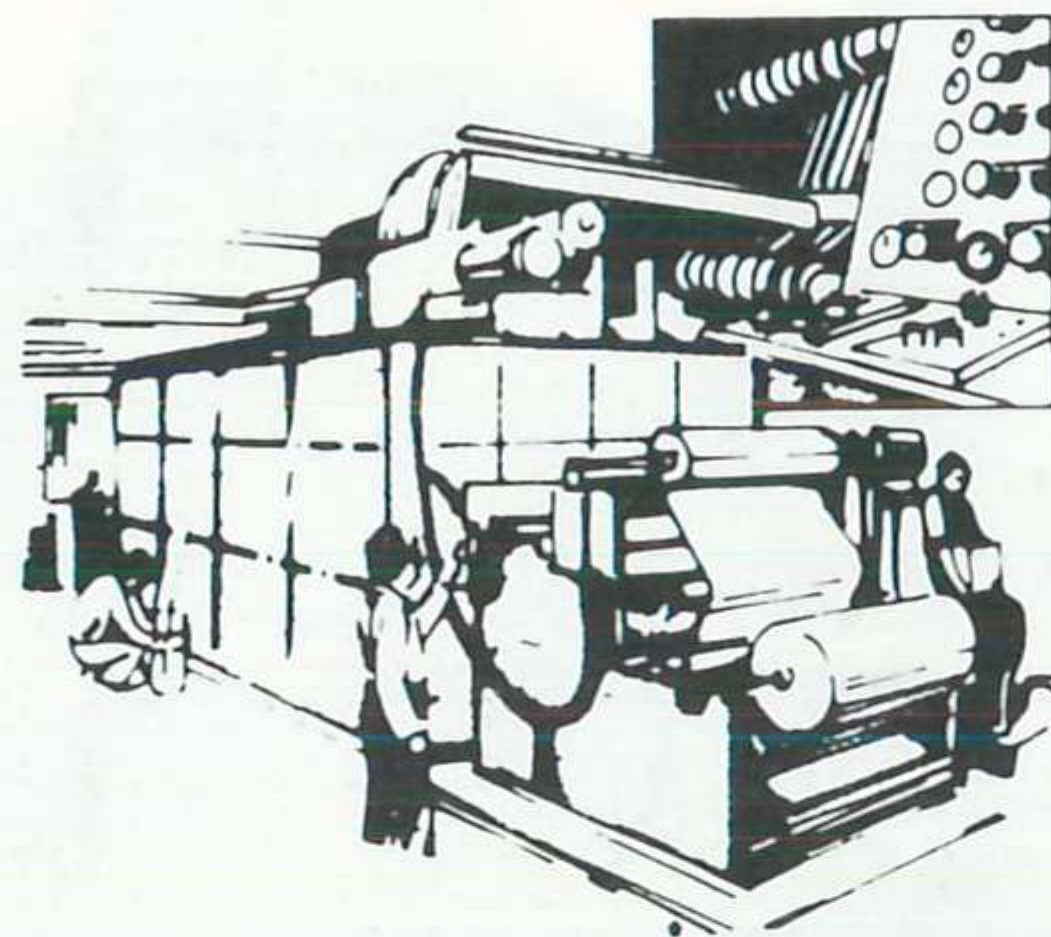


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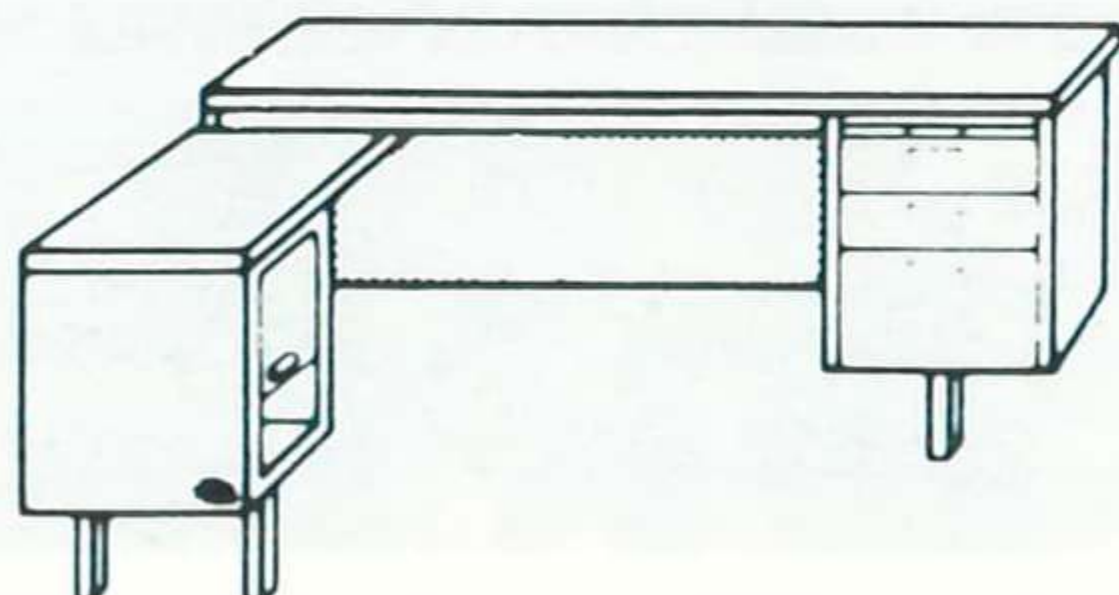
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Aug	28 Burnley	0-0	10,607	McDonagh	Whitworth	Bennett	McGovern	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Henry	Moore	Reid	Hoggan	Berry
Sept	31 Carlisle United (MC.1)	3-3	4,314	McDonagh	Whitworth	Bennett	McGovern	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Henry	Moore	Reid	Hoggan	Berry
	4 Newcastle United	3-1	17,738	McDonagh	Whitworth	Bennett	McGovern	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Henry	Moore	Reid	Hoggan	Berry
	7 Sheffield Wednesday	1-3	17,307	McDonagh	Whitworth	Bennett	McGovern	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Henry	Moore	Reid	Hoggan	Berry
Oct	11 Fulham	0-4	5,688	McDonagh	Whitworth	Bennett	McGovern	Jones	McElhinney	Chandler	Henry	Moore	Reid	Berry	Hoggan
	14 Carlisle United (MC.2)	4-0	4,039	McDonagh	Whitworth	Bennett	McGovern	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Henry	Moore	Reid	Berry	Berry
	18 Wolverhampton W	0-1	9,264	McDonagh	Whitworth	Bennett	McGovern	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Henry	Moore	Reid	Berry	Berry
Oct	25 Grimsby Town	0-1	7,583	McDonagh	Whitworth	Bennett	McGovern	Jones	McElhinney	Chandler	Henry	Moore	Reid	Rudge	Deakin
	28 Oldham Athletic	2-3	5,605	McDonagh	Whitworth	Bennett	McGovern	Jones	McElhinney	Chandler	Henry	Moore	Reid	Rudge	Hoggan
	2 Crystal Palace	1-0	5,804	McDonagh	Whitworth	Deakin	McGovern	Jones	McElhinney	Chandler	Henry	Rudge	Reid	Hoggan	Moore
Oct	5 Watford	1-2	5,664	McDonagh	Whitworth	Deakin	McGovern	Jones	McElhinney	Chandler	Henry	Rudge	Reid	Hoggan	Moore
	9 Rotherham United	2-2	6,577	McDonagh	Whitworth	Deakin	McGovern	Jones	McElhinney	Chandler	Henry	Rudge	Reid	Hoggan	Moore
	16 Middlesbrough	0-1	5,529	McDonagh	Bennett	Deakin	McGovern	Jones	McElhinney	Chandler	Henry	Moore	Moore	Thompson	Foster
Nov	23 Barnsley	0-2	7,339	McDonagh	Whitworth	Bennett	Reid	Jones	McElhinney	Chandler	Henry	Moore	Reid	Thompson	Foster
	26 Watford (MC.3)	1-2	11,520	McDonagh	Berry	Bennett	McGovern	Jones	McElhinney	Foster	Rudge	Moore	Reid	Hoggan	Thompson
	30 Queens Park Rangers	0-1	9,363	McDonagh	Berry	Bennett	McGovern	Jones	McElhinney	Foster	Rudge	Moore	Henry	Thompson	Deakin
Nov	6 Shrewsbury Town	1-4	4,879	McDonagh	Berry	Bennett	McGovern	Jones	McElhinney	Foster	Rudge	Moore	Henry	Thompson	Chandler
	13 Derby County	0-0	10,999	McDonagh	Whitworth	Deakin	McGovern	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Henry	Moore	Reid	Thompson	Bennett
	20 Blackburn R.	1-1	7,428	McDonagh	Whitworth	Deakin	McGovern	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Henry	Moore	Reid	Thompson	Hoggan
Dec	27 Leicester City	3-1	5,060	McDonagh	Whitworth	Deakin	McGovern	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Henry	Moore	Reid	Thompson	Hoggan
	4 Cambridge United	0-0	2,622	McDonagh	Whitworth	Bennett	McGovern	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Henry	Moore	Reid	Thompson	Hoggan
	11 Charlton Athletic	4-1	5,645	McDonagh	Whitworth	Deakin	Henry	Jones	Deakin	Chandler	Whatmore	Foster	Reid	Thompson	Moore
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	3 Newcastle United	2-2	23,533	McDonagh	Whitworth	Bennett	Henry	Jones	Deakin	Chandler	Whatmore	Foster	Hoggan	Thompson	Moore
	8 Arsenal FA Cup 3	1-2	22,576	McDonagh	Whitworth	Bennett	Henry	Jones	Deakin	Chandler	Whatmore	Foster	Hoggan	Thompson	Moore
Feb	15 Burnley	3-0	8,894	McDonagh	Whitworth	Deakin	Henry	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Whatmore	Foster	Hoggan	Thompson	Moore
	22 Oldham Athletic	3-2	8,510	McDonagh	Whitworth	Deakin	Henry	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Whatmore	Foster	Hoggan	Thompson	Moore
	5 Fulham	0-1	6,748	McDonagh	Whitworth	Deakin	Henry	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Whatmore	Foster	Hoggan	Thompson	Moore
Feb	19 Rotherham United	1-1	5,646	McDonagh	Whitworth	Bennett	Redfearn	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Henry	Foster	Redfearn	Bennett	Rudge
	22 Crystal Palace	0-3	4,456	McDonagh	Whitworth	Deakin	Henry	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Rudge	Foster	Henry	Hoggan	Bennett
	26 Middlesbrough	3-1	5,598	McDonagh	Whitworth	Deakin	Redfearn	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Rudge	Foster	Henry	Hoggan	Moore
Mar	5 Barnsley	1-3	10,403	McDonagh	Whitworth	Deakin	Redfearn	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Rudge	Foster	Henry	Hoggan	Moore
	12 Queens Park Rangers	3-2	6,373	McDonagh	Whitworth	Deakin	Redfearn	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Rudge	Foster	Henry	Hoggan	Thompson S.
	19 Shrewsbury Town	0-1	4,163	McDonagh	Whitworth	Deakin	Redfearn	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Rudge	Foster	Henry	Hoggan	Berry
April	26 Derby County	0-2	7,041	McDonagh	Whitworth	Berry	Redfearn	Jones	Doyle	Chandler	Rudge	Foster	Hoggan	Thompson S.	Borrows
	2 Leeds United	1-2	10,784	McDonagh	Whitworth	Borrows	Redfearn	Berry	Doyle	Chandler	Rudge	Foster	Gray	Hoggan	Foster
	5 Carlisle United	0-5	5,615	McDonagh	Whitworth	Deakin	Redfearn	Berry	Doyle	Chandler	Rudge	Foster	Gray	Borrows	Joyce

NEXT HOME GAME
SATURDAY 23RD APRIL
v CAMBRIDGE UNITED
K.O. 3.00 p.m.

● Player substituted



FACTS

LEAGUE DIVISION TWO

(Up to and including Tuesday 5th April 1983)

	HOME			GOALS			AWAY			GOALS	
	P	W	D	L	F	A	L	F	A	Pts	
Q.P.R.	34	13	2	2	43	12	9	3	5	23	16
Wolves	35	13	3	2	39	14	6	7	4	21	22
Fulham	34	10	5	2	31	18	7	3	7	25	20
Leicester City	35	10	2	6	33	14	7	4	6	29	24
Barnsley	34	9	6	2	33	18	5	4	8	18	24
Leeds United	34	7	7	2	22	15	5	9	4	21	22
Oldham Athletic	35	7	8	2	31	19	4	9	5	19	18
Shrewsbury Town	35	7	7	3	17	12	6	4	8	27	32
Sheffield Wed.	34	7	8	3	29	20	5	5	6	20	19
Newcastle United	34	9	6	3	30	16	3	6	8	23	29
Blackburn Rovers	35	8	6	3	31	20	4	4	10	15	29
Grimby Town	35	9	6	3	31	20	3	1	13	12	41
Carlisle United	35	9	3	5	39	24	2	6	10	22	36
Chelsea	35	8	5	4	29	18	2	5	11	17	34
Cambridge United	35	10	6	4	24	13	0	4	13	10	37
Middlesbrough	35	7	6	4	23	25	2	6	10	15	37
Charlton Athletic	34	9	2	6	29	25	2	4	11	19	48
Bolton Wanderers	35	9	1	7	28	23	1	7	10	11	31
Rotherham Utd.	35	5	5	8	17	26	4	6	7	19	29
Derby County	34	5	8	4	22	22	2	8	7	17	25
Crystal Palace	34	7	7	3	22	15	1	5	11	11	27
Burnley	32	8	3	6	31	20	1	2	12	15	34

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2ND DIVISION FACTS & FIGURES

(Up to and including 26th March)

Team	Best Attendance	Average Attendance	Leading Goalscorer
Barnsley	23,275 v Sheffield W.	13,157	Glavin 12
Blackburn R.	14,421 v Newcastle	7,333	Garner 15
Bolton W.	17,707 v Newcastle	7,636	Henry 9
Burnley	20,283 v Blackburn	9,149	Taylor 12
Cambridge U.	8,124 v Chelsea	4,317	Reilly 9
Carlisle U.	16,276 v Newcastle	6,117	Shoulder 17
Charlton A.	13,306 v Q.P.R.	7,312	Hales 10
Chelsea	29,797 v Fulham	12,159	Fillery 7
Crystal P.	17,996 v Charlton	9,909	Mabbutt 8
Derby C.	17,664 v Wolves	12,536	Swindlehurst 8
Fulham	17,196 v Wolves	9,999	Davies 17
Grimby T.	16,137 v Leeds	7,970	Drinkell 16
Leeds U.	26,570 v Newcastle	15,471	Butterworth 9
Leicester C.	17,341 v Sheffield W.	11,245	Lineker 22
Middlesbrough	25,184 v Newcastle	10,061	Shearer 9
Newcastle U.	36,185 v Q.P.R.	25,044	Keegan 17
Oldham	15,658 v Leeds	7,086	Wyde 14
Q.P.R.	23,744 v Chelsea	11,104	Allen 13
Rotherham	13,791 v Barnsley	8,270	McBride 7
Sheffield W.	29,050 v Leeds	17,456	Bannister 13
Shrewsbury	13,336 v Wolves	5,336	Brown 9
Wolves	22,567 v Leeds	15,538	Eves 16



GOING BY CAR?

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ROUTE TO NEXT
WEEK'S AWAY
GAME AT:

RAC

WOLVERHAMPTON

BOLTON

A666(M)/M61/M62 (follow 'Liverpool' and 'M6 South' signs) to intersection 21a, M6 at Croft

16 miles

M6 south to intersection 12, junction A576 miles

A5 for 1 mile (follow 'Wellington' signs) to

Gailey, junction with A449

A449 to Wolverhampton

77 miles

85 miles

Entering Wolverhampton on the A449 (Stafford Road) take the second exit at the roundabout into Waterloo Road North. Wolverhampton Wanderers' ground, Molineux, is on your left in about ½ mile.

CENTRAL LEAGUE

Date	Opponents	Goals
1982		FA
Sep	22 Preston N.E.	5-3
	29 Burnley	0-0
Oct	13 Nottingham Forest	0-3
	20 Chesterfield	4-1
Nov	2 Derby County	3-2
	8 Rotherham United	2-1
	16 Oldham Athletic	3-1
	24 Notts County	5-1
	30 Wigan	-P
Dec	8 Sunderland	1-1
	14 Manchester City	3-1
	20 Bradford City	3-2
1983		
Jan	6 Chesterfield	1-5
	12 Derby County	2-0
	19 Port Vale	2-3
	26 Barnsley	1-0
Feb	2 Middlesbrough	2-1
	9 Preston N.E.	1-0
	15 Rotherham United	6-0
	23 Nottingham Forest	2-4
Mar	1 Burnley	1-0
	9 Port Vale	6-2
	16 Barnsley	2-1
	22 Middlesbrough	0-3
	30 Notts County	2-3
Apr	6 Oldham Athletic	6-0
	13 Sunderland	
	20 Wigan	
	26 Bradford City	
May	4 Manchester City	



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**THE
NINETY-TWO CLUB**

Today we welcome a small group of supporters from the exclusive Ninety-Two Club, which now has a membership of over 200. Two Bolton Fans can claim to be members by visiting all League grounds, they are Michael Unsworth of Tyldesley who qualified at Bournemouth on 20.10.79, and Simon Marland of Brightmet at Colchester on 3.5.82. Burnden Park is popular with their members in that all but one of them visited us before they reached their last ground and just one member is known to have actually completed his visits here, and that was on 22.12.78 for our game v Manchester United which ended in a 3-0 victory for Wanderers.

They are always interested to hear from other supporters who have already qualified or are a substantial way towards that milestone. Full details are obtainable from 104 Gilda Crescent, Whitchurch, Bristol BS14 9LD enclosing a S.A.E.

Puzzle Page??

MIXED DOUBLES No. 20

Re-order the letters in each of the words

HERON and MISS

to find the names of
TWO MEN CALLED "JOHN".

Answers to No. 19 *Hudson, West.*

CLUB CLUE No. 20

Solve this cryptic clue to identify a famous foreign club.

**BRAZILIANS NAME GOLF AS
AN ALTERNATIVE**

Answer to No. 19 *STRASBOURG*

QUIZ

1. Glenn Hoddle scored in 'both' 1982 FA Cup finals — who had been the last to do it?
2. Who managed Scotland in the 1974 World Cup finals?
3. Which club did Ron Greenwood mainly play for?
4. What did old star Billy Meredith invariably chew?
5. Which club did Frank O'Farrell manage in three spells?

Answers to quiz in last programme: 1. Belgium, 2. West Ham's fans, 3. 1933, 4. Barrow (1972), 5. County (Stockport).

ON THE BALL No. 20

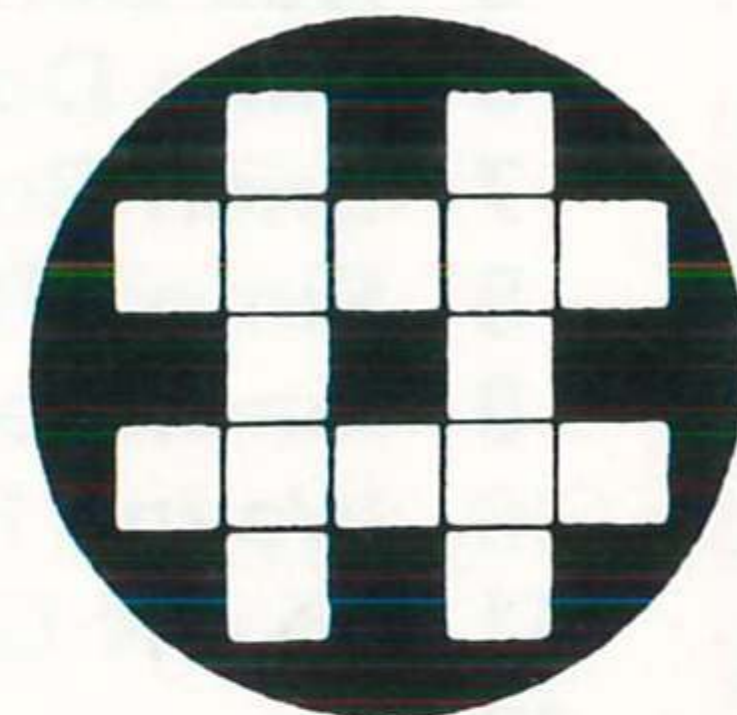
Every answer has five letters and the first one fits into the top line, but you have to decide where the rest must go.

— — — Isidoro, Brazil
Graham the breadman
Birmingham City, for example

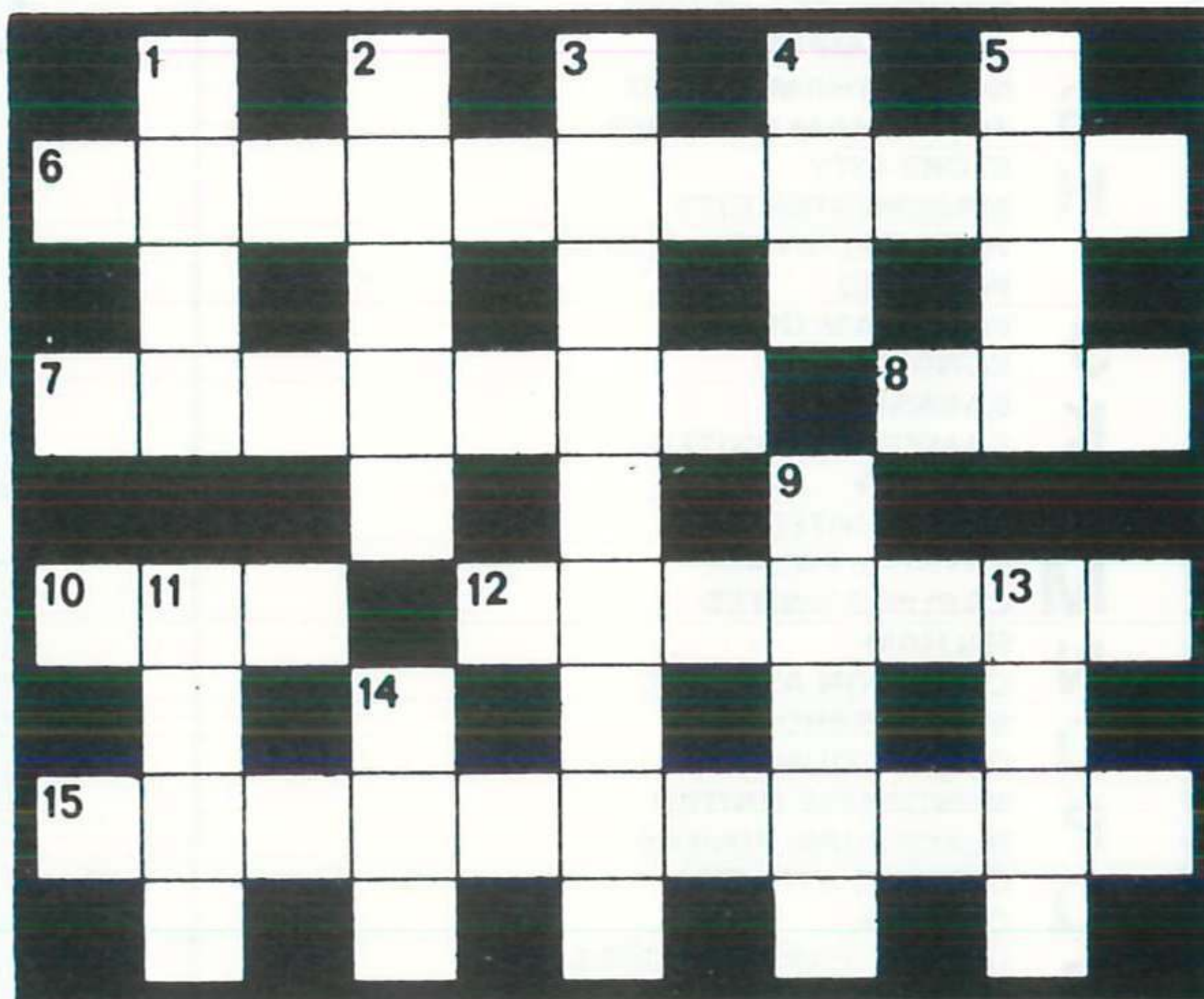
— — — Nicholas

Answers to *On The Ball* No.

19: Giles, Gento, Posts, Pivot



Crossword



Across

6. Peterborough's regular keeper last season, he moved to Northampton and was a professional foul 'off' victim on the opening day (4,7)
7. Someone having this sort of game obviously knocks the spectators' eyes out! (7)
8. — — — Mulhearn, keeper with over 600 League games to his credit (3)
10. Seasonal hazard in mid season (3)
12. Bristol City veteran (over 400 appearances) who was one of their bought-out players (7)
15. Much-sought source of cash (11)

Down

1. Charlie or Graham or Norman or . . . (4)
2. Roeder, perhaps (5)
3. Forward seen in action with Hull, Sunderland, Derby and Swindon (9)
4. Common colour for a linesman's flag (3)
5. Manager Bassett, maybe (4)
9. Despite his name, this inside-forward was a Scot; he served Millwall first and last and in between turned out for Torquay, Plymouth and Bournemouth (5)
11. Goalkeepers wearing them aren't necessarily internationals! (4)
13. Steele, say (4)
14. The number of times a Scottish club won the Anglo-Scottish Cup (3)

Solution to crossword in last programme. Across: 1. Cunningham, 7. Cat, 8. Reece, 9. teams, 12. Neill, 13. Len, 14. represents. Down: 1. Cochrane, 2. nets, 3. Ian Mellor, 4. Gary Mills, 5. Alex, 6. pennants, 10. side, 11. Alan.

BURNDEN STAND MATCH DAY TICKETS

Tickets for seats in the Burnden Stand are on sale on the afternoons of Match Days at Burnden Stand turnstile No. 57.

Tickets will still be available at the Ticket Office for the Burnden Stand on Match Days, and also, two weeks prior to each home fixture, as with all other Stand Seat tickets.

TEAMS



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BOLTON WANDERERS

- 1 Jim McDonagh
- 2 Steve Whitworth
- 3 Ray Deakin
- 4 Neil Redfearn
- 5 Neil Berry
- 6 Mike Doyle
- 7 Brian Borrows
- 8 Simon Rudge
- 9 Ian Moores
- 10 Wayne Foster
- 11 Stuart Gray
- 12

Today's Referee: DEREK OWEN (Wirral)

Joined the Football League in 1972 having gained promotion through the Northern Premier, Cheshire County, West Cheshire and Chester Leagues.

Keen on most sports with emphasis on physical fitness. Is a member of the Management Committee of the West Cheshire League, and Chairman of Wirral Referees' Society. Has one son and one daughter and is an inspector with a leading Insurance Company. His wife and family play an active part in many sports.



Linesmen: P. NEWTON (Warrington) Red Flag
C. TRACEY (Blackpool) Yellow Flag

Scoreboard

SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY

- 1 Bob Bolder
- 2 Mel Sterland
- 3 Ian Bailey
- 4 Mark Smith
- 5 Mike Lyons
- 6 Gary Shelton
- 7 Gary Megson
- 8 David Mills
- 9 Gary Bannister
- 10 Andy McCulloch
- 11 Pat Heard
- 12 John Pearson

A	ARSENAL	
	COVENTRY CITY	
B	BIRMINGHAM CITY	
	NORWICH CITY	
C	BRIGHTON & HOVE ALBION	
	EVERTON	
D	IPSWICH TOWN	
	NOTTS COUNTY	
E	LUTON TOWN	
	ASTON VILLA	
F	MANCHESTER UNITED	
	SOUTHAMPTON	
G	NOTTINGHAM FOREST	
	TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR	
H	STOKE CITY	
	MANCHESTER CITY	
I	WEST BROMWICH ALBION	
	WATFORD	
J	WEST HAM UNITED	
	SUNDERLAND	
K	BARNSELY	
	CAMBRIDGE UNITED	
L	BURNLEY	
	LEEDS UNITED	
M	CRYSTAL PALACE	
	CARLISLE UNITED	
N	FULHAM	
	CHARLTON ATHLETIC	
O	MIDDLESBROUGH	
	DERBY COUNTY	
P	NEWCASTLE UNITED	
	BLACKBURN ROVERS	
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R	QUEENS PARK RANGERS	
	LEICESTER CITY	
S	ROTHERHAM UNITED	
	WOLVERHAMPTON WANDERERS	
T	HUDDERSFIELD TOWN	
	PLYMOUTH ARGYLE	
U	SHEFFIELD UNITED	
	WIGAN ATHLETIC	
V	ALDERSHOT	
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